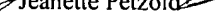




**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**  
**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

  
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Jeanette Petzold

Confirmation No. 6845

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April 24, 2006

Enclosed is an amendment to the above-identified application.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Paid For	Number Extra Claims	Small Entity Rate	Large Entity Rate	FEE
Total Claims Fee	28	*28	0	x \$25.00	x \$50.00	-0-
Independent Claims	11	**4	7	7 x \$100.00	x \$200.00	\$700.00
Multiple Dependent Claims ***				\$180.00	\$360.00	-0-
TOTAL FILING FEE						\$700.00
NO ADDITIONAL FEE REQUIRED	IF NO FEE REQUIRED, INSERT "0"					
LIST INDEPENDENT CLAIMS: 1, 2, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 22, 29, 31, 32						

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\* IF HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR IS 20 OR LESS, WRITE "20" IN COLUMN 3  
\*\* IF HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR IS 3 OR LESS, WRITE "3" IN COLUMN 3  
\*\*\* PAY THIS FEE ONLY WHEN MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS ARE ADDED FOR THE FIRST  
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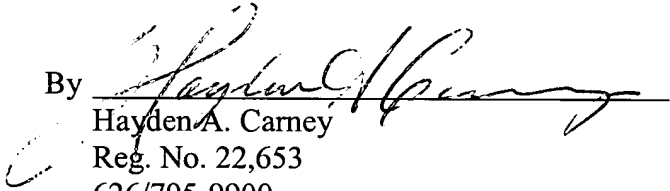
X Attached is our check for \$700.00 to pay the fees calculated above.  
       A Petition for Extension of Time and the required fee are enclosed.  
X Other enclosures: 1. Annotated copy of Fig. 4 of Shafer et al. '875;  
2. Summary of Disclosures of Shaffer et al. '875.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by or to give effect to this paper to Deposit Account No. 03-1728. Please show our docket number with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account. **A copy of this letter is enclosed.**

Respectfully submitted,

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Applicant : John D. Jacobs  
Filed : October 21, 2004  
Title : CONTACT INSERT CARTRIDGE FOR PLUGS OF  
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TC/A.U. : 2833  
Examiner : Leon, Edwin A.  
  
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**AMENDMENT IN REPLY TO FINAL REJECTION**

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Commissioner:

Responsive to the Final Rejection mailed January 24, 2006, please amend this application.

**Claim Amendments** are identified in the claims appearing at pages 2-14.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 15 of this paper.

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